TOWN OF WESTFORD



Westford Fire Fighter ~ 1940s

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100 years ago at the March 18, 1907 Annual Town Meeting, Westford's Fire Department had its beginning. Under Article 32, it was voted that a Committee be appointed in regard to the appropriation of money "for the purchase of apparatus for protection against fire." Under Article 34, it was "voted that the matter of protection against fire and installing a system of hydrants be referred to the Committee chosen under Article 32." The Committee members were George T. Day, Julian A. Cameron, Oscar R. Spalding, Charles M. Trull and Edward Fisher.

Excerpts from the first report of the Engineers of the Fire Department are on the back cover.

Photo courtesy of the Westford Fire Department. "Engine 3" on the truck door indicates it was from the Graniteville station. The 1 on the fire fighter's hat indicates he was a member of the hose company from Westford Centre.